

To: The Honorable Franklin L. Noel

Re: 3M Motion to Remove Confidential Designation from Ridgeview Documents

Magistrate Noel:

The purpose of this letter is to request permission to file a Memorandum and supporting Affidavit regarding the above-cited matter. As suggested by your Chambers, I am simultaneously filing this request, the Affidavit, and the Memorandum.

Thank you for your consideration,,

s/R Benham J. Randall Benham

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